§ 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

## **Amendments**

## In the Specification:

Please substitute the paragraph beginning on page 19, line 27, with the following paragraph:

Figures 1A-1C.

Demonstration that Gam1 expression elevates heat shock protein levels.

## In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1 and 3 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please substitute the following claims 2, 4-8, 12, 13 and 15 for the pending claims 2, 4-8 and 15:

2. (Once amended) Recombinant CELO virus or CELO virus DNA, characterized in that the region spanning nucleotides 37391-38239 of the CELO wild type virus genome is completely or partially deleted or altered and/or contains an insertion, wherein said deletion, alteration or insertion results in a complete loss of Gam1 expression or prevents the expression of a functional Gam1 protein.